

# 1. Fuel Moisture Site Description Form

1. Date 05/12/04 2. Observer J. DEAN
3. Unit Taos Field Office 4. Site Name or # TAFO CH 1
5. Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Longitude \_\_\_\_\_
7. UTM Coordinates NAD 83, 13S 0431576, 4007922
8. Major Vegetation:
- |                                      |                          |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Tree species 1 <u>Ponderosa Pine</u> | percent cover <u>30%</u> |
| Tree species 2 <u>Juniper spp.</u>   | percent cover <u>5%</u>  |
| Tree species 3 <u>Pinon Pine</u>     | percent cover <u>2%</u>  |
| All other trees _____                | percent cover _____      |
| Shrub species 1 <u>no shrubs</u>     | percent cover _____      |
| Shrub species 2 _____                | percent cover _____      |
| Shrub species 3 _____                | percent cover _____      |
| All other shrubs _____               | percent cover _____      |
| Grass/forb species 1 <u>Poa spp.</u> | percent cover <u>30%</u> |
| Grass/forb species 2 <u>Lupine</u>   | percent cover <u>1%</u>  |
| Grass/forb species 3 _____           | percent cover _____      |
| All other grasses/forbs _____        | percent cover _____      |
9. Predominant aspect N 10. Predominant % slope 6%
11. Elevation (feet) 7640 12. NFDRS fuel model 9
13. Associated NFDRS or RAWS weather station number(s) \_\_\_\_\_
14. Vegetation condition description of layer chosen for moisture sampling:
- Average height (ft) 7' Percent dead 5%
- Continuity of layer 37% Canopy Closure
15. Photo numbers and descriptions TAFO CH 1 Digital (4 - N, S, E, W)
16. Historical Data: Year that data began to be collected at site \_\_\_\_\_
17. Historical Data: Do you have records of previously collected data **YES** / NO  
*Intermittent Portable Wx Station Data from prescribed burns since 2002.*